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PETITION FOR A ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants hereby request a one-month extension of time for filing a response to the September 1, 2006 Final Office Action. A response to the Office Action was originally due December 1, 2006. The fee for a one-month extension of time is ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY DOLLARS (\$120.00), and a check for that amount is enclosed. With the one-month extension, a response to the September 1, 2006 Final Office Action is due January 1, 2007. Since January 1, 2007 was on a Federal holiday and the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office was closed on January 2, 2007 in observance of a day of mourning on the death of former President Gerald Ford, a response filed on the next business day, i.e. Wednesday, January 3, 2007, considered to be timely. Accordingly, this Petition is being timely filed.

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No fee, other than the enclosed \$120.00 fee for a one-month extension, is deemed necessary in connection with the filing of this Petition. However, if any additional fee is required, authorization is hereby given to charge the amount of such fee to Deposit Account No. 03-3125.

Respectfully submitted,

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